

Development of a Core Measure Set for Washington State

Technical Work Group - Acute
Meeting #6
October 2, 2014

Agenda: Acute Care Measures Workgroup, October 2

9:00	Welcome and Introductions
9:05	Follow-up items from September 10 meeting <ul style="list-style-type: none">• PSI-90, Opportunity for Improvement, Data Source• Reconsider low back pain measures• Behavioral health measures
9:45	Feedback on Cost Measures Proposal
10:00	Determine units(s) of analysis for each YES measure
10:30	Review Scoring Criteria for each YES measure
10:50	Next steps and wrap-up
10:55	Open Line for Comment

Measures for Discussion Today

1. **PSI-90 – opportunity for improvement, data source and units of analysis (Beth)**
2. **Reconsider Low Back Pain measures (see attached) (Susie)**
3. **Behavioral health measures (Laura)**
4. **Review of Cost Measures proposal (see attached) (Susie)**

Unit of Analysis Review

Task: Determine level of measurement for each measure; choices include:

- **Statewide**
- **County/Regional**
- **Health Plan**
- **Hospital**
- **Medical Group**

Scoring of Measures

Task: Review preliminary scoring on measures to see how each fits with previously selected scoring criteria

- Using Buying Value scoring tool which assigns numbers to how well the measure meets each criteria
- Generally, assigns 2 points for a “yes”, 1 point for “somewhat” and 0 points for a “no”
- See attached sheet for rules utilized in scoring

Next Steps for Acute Work Group

- Meeting summary will be posted on the HCA website for public comment and feedback
- Next Acute Work Group scheduled:
 - October 16, 9am-11am